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SUBJ: HANDLING OF CHILEAN HUMAN RIGHTS ISSUE AT THE OAS GENERAL
ASSEMBLY

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RABASA FORESAW NO PROBLEMS ON FORTHCOMING OASGA AS LONG AS
THE UNITED STATES WAS SUPPORTING CHANGE IN VOTING PATTERN ON
RIO TREATY AND WAS TAKING FORWARD APPROACH ON MODIFICATIONS
OF TRADE ACT. I ASSURED HIM ON BOTH SCORES. WHEN I INQUIRED
ABOUT CHILEAN HUMAN RIGHTS ISSUE, HE SAID THAT MEXICO WAS
TENTATIVELY PLANNING TO "REACTIVATE THIS MATTER" WHEN HUMAN
RIGHTS COMMISSION REPORT WAS TREATED AT OASGA. HE RECOGNIZED
THAT THIS REQUIRED A CERTAIN AMOUNT OF CAUTION AND HE WAS
WEIGHING THE PROS AND CONS OF HOW TO DO IT. I URGED CAUTION
ON HIM AND TOLD HIM THAT ROGERS HAD SUGGESTED THAT IT WOULD
BE HELPFUL TO STAY IN TOUCH ON THIS SENSITIVE AND CONTROVERSIAL
QUESTION. HE AGREED FULLY ON THIS AND SAID WE WOULD TALK
FURTHER ON MY RETURN FROM JUAREZ/EL PASO AND, OF COURSE,
HE WOULD BE IN DIRECT TOUCH WITH BILL ROGERS ONCE THE WASHINGTON
CONFERENCE BEGINS.

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